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Sir:

Please see the enclosed Figure 3, showing the line going around within the circle, marked as 305. A formal and marked-up copy in red is attached.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee associated with the filing of the enclosed formal drawings (or credit any overpayment thereof) to counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782 (Order No. STL 2943; a duplicate of this transmittal is provided.

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